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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§1.56 and 1.97, Applicants herewith submit the publications and/or patents shown on the attached form PTO-1449, for consideration by the Examiner in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application.

### REMARKS

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.97, this statement is being filed:

- \_\_\_\_\_ (1) within three (3) months of the Filing Date or **before the mailing date of the First Office Action** on the merits; or
- X   (2) within three months of the mailing date of the European Search issued by The European Patent Office (copy enclosed; dated June 1, 2004); or
- \_\_\_\_\_ (3) after the period defined in (1) but before the mailing date of a Final Rejection or Notice of Allowance, and the requisite Certification or fee under Rule 1.17(p), namely \$180.00, is included herein; or
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It is respectfully requested that each of the documents shown on the attached form(s) PTO-1449 be made of record in this application. Copies of these documents (CHECK ONE):

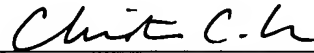
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Early examination and allowance of the present application are respectfully solicited.

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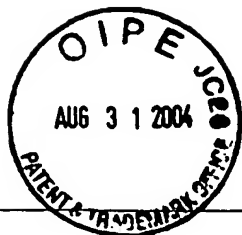
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	AA	WO 01/36677 A1	5/25/01	WIPO			Abstract Only
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